



PATENT: Mail Stop AF  
RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
Attorney Docket No. 01198.0279-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Tsuyoshi KAMIYA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3782  
Application No.: 10/712,379 ) Examiner: Lester L. Vanterpool  
Filed: November 14, 2003 ) Confirmation No.: 9590  
For: ROOF RACK )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

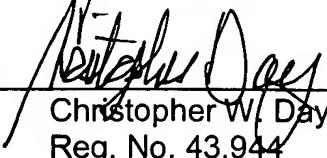
Applicants respectfully petition for a three month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of June 16, 2006. The requisite fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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